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From Vol. 1, Report of the Special Senate Committee on Mass Media, 1970.

Haliburton County The Echo

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School board apportionment

1976 school board apportionment of taxes will not be adjusted in favour of Anson, Hindon and Minden, Stanhope and Sherbourne, McKlintock and Livingstone, the three municipalities that appealed the method of apportionment used in 1976 before the Ontario Municipal Board hearing in Minden Jan. 31.

As a result of the O.M.B.'s decision, which was made public last Thursday, there will be no adjustment this year as last, when the O.M.B. heard a similar appeal and granted a reapportionment of the school tax levy. The readjustment meant that Anson, Hindon and Minden paid \$18,413 less, Dysart et al paid \$32,179 more, Stanhope paid \$9,304 less and Sherbourne, McKlintock and Livingstone's share was cut back by \$6,053.

In making the adjustment on the 1975 figures, the O.M.B. referred to assessment figures determined by Victor Hewson, assessment commissioner for this district. Mr. Hewson prepared assessments in 1974 for the 1975 County Council budget, basing the assessment upon 1972 assessments adjusted to reflect 1974 market values.

These figures indicated a considerable shift in the apportionment of taxes between the municipalities of Haliburton County when Mr. Hewson's figures were compared to the assessment figures regulated by the Municipal Act. The Act sets out a method of apportionment based on assessment rolls frozen in 1969, adjusted according to the Act for County purposes.

The O.M.B. decision published this week explains that for the year 1975 "the County Council took into consideration the difference between assessment for the County based on frozen assessment figures for 1969 and the projected assessment estimated by the Assessment Commissioner". The County adjusted their calculations based on the former basis of apportionment to the extent of one third of the difference that would result if the Assessment Commissioner's estimates of market values were used.

The decision goes on to note that the panel of the Board that

determined last year's appeal "used the same formula for adjusting the apportionment for Board of Education purposes" as was used by the County, and municipalities apportionments were adjusted in varying amounts in favour of the objecting municipalities.

In this year's decision, which turned down the appeal, it is noted that the County is no longer following the proposal of adjusting the apportionment according to a third or two thirds of Mr. Hewson's figures.

At the Jan. 31 hearing, counsel for Dysart et al, fighting the appeal, asked the assessment commissioner "Can you say that using estimated assessment figures of 1974 for County purposes, as applied to board of education purposes figures, and adjusting the difference between these and the equalized assessments, would create a more equitable distribution among the municipalities?"

Mr. Hewson said no, he could not say that his earlier figures were any more accurate at this time, although counsel for the objecting townships, Robert Weekes, argued that inaccurate 1974 market value figures were still to be preferred to 1969 equalized figures.

The O.M.B. concluded that the 1976 apportionment, calculated according to the regulations of the Education Act, and not according to two thirds of an adjustment towards Mr. Hewson's figures, had not been proved to be inequitable.

The 1976 requisition was confirmed, according to the regulations. Anson, Hindon and Minden, Stanhope, and Sherbourne, McKlintock and Livingstone are now faced with a proportionately greater payment than when adjustments were made according to Mr. Hewson's figures.



Mrs. Emily Davidson, the first resident of Extendicare, was given the honor of blowing out the candle on the birthday cake for the homes first year of operation. Mrs. Davidson is 95-years-old. The residents of extendicare, along with visitors from the community and Hyland Crest

Senior Citizens' Home in Minden participated in the first birthday celebration at extendicare. A number of dignitaries were on hand for the event including MPP John Eakins and Dysart et al councillor, Roy Brohm, a former reeve of the municipality and one time county warden.

130 riders in 1977 Snowarama

130 riders took to the Snowarama trails early Sunday for a 100 mile ride in unfavorable weather, raising a total of \$10,743. for the Ontario Crippled Children's Society.

From that standpoint, and for most of the riders who enjoyed the day in spite of the grey skies and slush, the day was a success. Credit for the smooth riding of the Snowarama goes to the Minden and Haliburton Rotary Clubs, and their Snowarama chairmen Gerry Mansfield and Brian Black.

Mr. Black thanked both Rotary Clubs and all involved for their help in making everything go well. He noted that the number of riders though down from last year, still showed a good turnout.

Mr. Mansfield said that the OPP and Haliburton County Snowmobile Association patrols had a great deal to do with the success of the trip itself. He also noted the excellent help provided by REACT, a CB radio emergency rescue service group who assisted by relaying messages point to point. The last rider was in, safe and accounted for, at 6:30 p.m.

The majority of riders left the first checkpoints between 7:00 and 8:00 a.m. getting a day that promised to warm up enough to make slush conditions on the lakes even less manageable.

They followed a course of approximately 100 miles from Minden or Haliburton in a circuit that passed by Ingoldsby, Minden, and over to Hall's, Kennis, Redstone, Haliburton, Drag and Head Lakes. There were two food stops, at Lorelee Lodge, Hall's Lake, and at Fort Irwin Restaurant, Haliburton Lake as well as 10 check points.

Dry land parts of the trip were put into good condition by the Haliburton Snowmobile Club. Riders reported that due to the slush, machines had to be driven at full throttle across the lakes, causing some overheating. Slush was as deep as one & a half feet in some areas. Colder weather would have improved conditions, but after the Snowarama had already been cancelled once for the slush, nothing was going to stop it this time.

Dr. Lawrence Hewitt of Haliburton Lake, at 74 the oldest rider to leave from Haliburton, said that he enjoyed the ride in spite of conditions that for others were a reason to miss the outing.

Riders leaving from Haliburton will bring in pledges totalling \$5,029.50 and from Minden, riders, there are pledges of \$5,663.50.

The single rider from Haliburton sponsored for the highest amount will bring in \$1,292. Minden's top rider for Snowarama will bring in \$450 for Crippled Children.

All the oil was free from Big Red and Red-X Oils. Shell gasoline was available from Sid Stamp Fuels Limited, Minden and Texaco gas from Fort Irwin Marine, Haliburton Lake.

Glen Dart tournament

The 25th annual Glen Dart Memorial is to be held on March 12th involving teams of all age groups and from various communities.

Perhaps there are many people in Haliburton County who do not remember or who are not aware, when and why these trophies were presented in the memory of Glen Dart.

Glen Dart was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Dart who at the time operated the local bakery where the Thomas Irwin Building stood, until it was destroyed by fire. He was an avid hockey player, playing his minor hockey in Haliburton before entering the Air Force in World War II. He was always interested in the young boys and was hired by the Community Centres as Recreational Director. At that time he coached a junior team in Haliburton and played on the local O.H.A. Intermediate B Team that carried the traditional name Huskies. Fans of that time will remember his all around skating and playmaking ability as the local Huskies became widely known in Ontario hockey.

Through Glen's efforts, many hockey players were encouraged to play hockey regardless of how good they were and those that were not good enough to make the top teams were instructed and inspired to carry on so that they would improve on their skills. It is with this in mind that the Glen Dart trophies carry on as an encouragement for players to preserve and improve their skills of hockey and sportsmanship.

When Glen died in 1951 the community felt a great loss and an executive was formed of sports-minded citizens to organize a night whereby trophies, named

after Glen Dart, would be presented to teams of four categories.

This year there are six divisions and their schedule is shown below. Trophies will be presented by members of the Dart family to the winning team. Small individual trophies will be given to the player selected as representing the combination of skill and sportsmanship. Plaques will be given to all participants in the games.

It would be very gratifying for the people who are involved in the organization of the Glen Dart Memorial which is now being operated by the Haliburton Minor Hockey Association, the Dart family and the boys playing, to have as many supporters, both parents, friends and former players in the Haliburton Minor Hockey System, as possible, be present at the forthcoming Glen Dart, Saturday, March 12, 1977.



Jane Franklin of Oakville led off as a group of riders left the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, Sunday morning, to complete the Snowarama

trip and raise money for Crippled Children. In spite of bad slush conditions on the lakes, most of the 130 riders had a good day.



Art Ward to head ATRO

Arthur Ward, Innkeeper at Pinestone Inn and owner of Wigamog Inn, has been elected president of the Association of Tourist Resorts of Ontario.

Mr. Ward was elected at ATRO's annual meeting being held this week in Toronto.

He is active in community events in Haliburton as well and is presently serving as the president of the Haliburton Rotary Club.

Drop-in centre for seniors

A meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon to elect a senior citizens advisory board to look into the possibilities of establishing a senior citizen drop-in centre in Haliburton.

The meeting, which will be held at 2:30 p.m. at the Royal Canadian Legion Hall, will be an attempt to see how much interest there is in having a senior citizen drop-in centre in the community.

In a letter to the editor, from Rev. Trevor Denny, chairman of the senior citizen drop-in centre committee for the Haliburton County Social Planning Council, it is stated that there are many

elderly persons living on their own in Haliburton without means of transportation.

"We have many of our senior people in this community who have nowhere to go except the restaurants, where they have to spend money and cannot relax for a meaningful visit with friends," he said.

Rev. Denny added that it is his belief, which is shared by the social planning council, that a senior citizen drop-in centre is needed in Haliburton.

"A place where they can sit down and visit with their friends after shopping, or just come and

talk together with a cup of coffee and a comfortable chair, with some diversions such as cards, chess or T.V.," the letter states.

He also pointed out that crafts, movies and shuffleboard could become a part of the program.

"The members of the Haliburton County Social Planning Council are agreed that such a place should be run by a committee of newly retired people who are interested in their peers. We have been told a grant from New Horizons would be available and we would also ask the municipality to help in the funding," he said.



The Haliburton Huskies travel to Lakefield tonight for the final game of their best of seven semi-final series. The Huskies had a 1-0 lead in the sixth game of the series but a goal by Lakefield, with only 12 seconds to play, sent the game into overtime. Lakefield won the contest 2-1 to force the deciding game. For more details see County Sports, page 6.

From the Chamber

by Bob Stinson

This past week we received replies from both the Ministry of Tourism and the Ministry of Transportation in regard to our submission on G-65 signs. They remain firm in their intention to remove the "You are now entering" signs from all tourist regions such as ours. The Honourable Mr. Bennett says "I regret that you continue to pursue this matter and not accept the revision of policy that, we believe, will benefit the Haliburton Highlands in Central Ontario." There seems to be something lacking here in attitude. Mr. Bennett and Mr. Snow were elected by the people of this Province to represent them in government and carry out their wishes. The Chamber of Commerce represents those same people and our responsibility lies with making their wishes known and we do not intend to stop pursuing this matter until our membership indicates such a wish. The minister refers to awareness studies and consumer protests that indicate they are making the correct decision. If the ministry is doing this type of research we should have the results of such surveys made available to us. We have recently sent out a questionnaire to our membership and among other questions we asked "Are you concerned that we may lose our G-65 signs that identify our county borders?" To date we have 34 yes and 3 no respondents. We think this indicates that we are acting on behalf of our membership.

Mr. Snow suggests that if we wish to retain the signs we could do so by paying the actual cost of having signs made and erected, which works out to about \$225.00 to \$250.00 each. He fails to explain why we should be faced with putting up new signs at this cost when of course the signs are already there now, and merely have to be left in place and maintained.

We had also inquired of the Honourable Mr. Snow why we could not seem to get Haliburton identified on arteries leading to our area. He did not answer the question regarding the Muskoka end of the Vankoughnet Road. We also mentioned Highway #60 at the junctions of both #11 and #35. He said "It is our policy to identify major ends of routes and it is for this reason that 'OTTAWA' and 'LINDSAY' are shown at the locations to which you refer." According to our road maps highway #60 ends near Renfrew, and highway #35 ends at Newcastle, and therefore do not follow this line of reasoning. We also note on the map that #507 from Buckhorn to Gooderham is shown as a secondary "Highway". Don't you believe it!

The Tourism Seminar in Peterborough, which is being put on by the Ministry of Industry and Tourism, in co-operation with our Central Ontario group is coming up on March 16th. The theme is "Marketing a Small Business" and should be a very worthwhile day. The cost is only \$15.00 per person for the entire day including lunch and dinner, or only \$8.00 for the seminar without the dinner. Registration is limited and requested in advance, however, some of our members tell us they have not yet received their registration forms in the mail. If you wish to attend and have not yet received this form, please contact the chamber office immediately so that we can see that you are registered.

For several weeks now we have asked here in the column for information to be submitted on all events planned for this June, July and August. Would you believe that the only response has been from the Haliburton Kinsmen in regard to their Home & Cottage Show planned for this June. Please - we can only help promote your events if you tell us about them.

Last Call! Anyone wishing to participate in the Sportsmen Show with the Chamber should have advised us by now - we have room for a few more participants but we must hear from you today.

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News from Extendicare

BY CHARLES PLEWMAN

WE CELEBRATE -- Tuesday Night of March 1st was a big night with a packed attendance at Extendicare. The occasion, a Birthday Party celebrating the completion of our first year's operation.

Amongst the highlights for the year were:- A very successful year's operation; The functioning of all departments with a full complement of residents; A grant from the Ministry of Health & Welfare of \$9,850. to be used for the "Parkland Project" by the Happy Gang, under the auspices of the New Horizon's Programme; The loyal support of the community, including Ministerial Associations and the County Echo; The splendid co-operation of volunteers.

Just as our formal opening went off with a bang, so went the celebration of our First Year's effort. The eldest person present was Mrs. Caroline Pierce, 104 years of age. Mrs. Pierce is from Hyland Crest in Minden. With Mrs. Miriam Lewis' larny still on strike, Mrs. Reg Burk emceed an informal programme in her usual efficient manner.

The programme included group singing led by Frank McIntyre, music by a local band composed of Al Blanchard, Lloyd McGill, Neil Howe, Oscar Stewart. Readings by Ezra Lott and Charles Plewman. A hearty welcome was given by Miss Sheila Elston, the Administrator. A report on the Happy Gang by the Secretary, Dr. O.W. Anderson. Mrs. Betty Salvatori did the honours at the piano. Aunt Martha got into the act by playing the harmonica. Member of Parliament, Mr. John Eakins, was called upon to say a few words. We were very happy to have a bus load of residents from Hyland Crest in Minden. Mr. Bill Vanderhorst was the lucky person to win the lovely hooked rug in the draw. It was made by Arnold Vardy.

Refreshments were served, the party breaking up around 10 p.m.

With a good year behind us, we look forward to an even better one during the next twelve months.

Thursday, March 3rd, we had our usual Games, along with some exercises to limber us up. In the evening a Euchre Party was held with Mary Currah acting as hostess.

EVERY DAY IS A NEW BEGINNING

Let's face it, life at times can be boring. We at Extendicare are away from home, impaired in health and circumscribed in what we can do. It is not surprising that under these conditions one can get "browned off". This raises the question of what we can do about it. I say we because it is up to us. Others will and can help, but like a horse which can be dragged by the halter to the fountain, you cannot make it drink. In other words, you cannot force people to participate. We in Extendicare are not the only ones that can feel "out of sorts". Many others do in the world at large. Like Spring, every day brings new life and new opportunities. If we are trying to make the most of things, we will seize some of these opportunities and possible create a new interest or even a new dimension in our lives. A noted "divine" once explained such an experience as the "Expulsive Power" of a new affection. Our activities should be wide enough in scope to cause us at times to feel that we are living on the keen edge of a new and thrilling experience. They say that a change is as good as a rest. In some instances a change is better than a rest. By doing nothing we fall into a rut and a rut is next door to a grave. Instead of feeling sorry for ourselves, do something, something that brings us satisfaction and causes us to forget our troubles. There is a vast difference between creative living and merely existing. The sky is the limit when one lives abundantly. There is just no future in just existing.

Most young people set their goals too low. There are few things they cannot be and do if only they have the will to persevere. Most of us are like an eight-cylinder engine that's missing on two of them.

Attention! Gardening Enthusiasts. Ray Halward, Propagator for the Royal Botanical Gardens, in Burlington, will be giving a Seminar here on "Plant propagation indoors under lights". He will also touch on outside plants suitable to the Haliburton area. Please note the following dates: March 15 at 2:00 p.m. (lecture and slides). March 16 at 10:00 a.m. till approx. 4:00 p.m. (All day Workshop/Demonstration). Lunch will be available for \$1.00. Everyone Welcome! No charge for Seminar.

On Friday the 4th, our Devotional Period was led by Capt. Douglas Barry of the Salvation Army. His message was one of comfort and encouragement for those living under trying circumstances.

PERSONS

Annie Johnston originally hailed from Essonville. Annie is one of our older residents and will be celebrating her 95th birthday this month.

Myrtle Johnston is from Wilberforce where she ran a small restaurant. She is well known by the residents in those living under trying circumstances.

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In Wilberforce

Jacqueline Scott and Margaret Daniels

Wilberforce Arena was the centre of interest for many parents from Haliburton, Gooderham, Harcourt, Highland Grove and Wilberforce for a Hockey Tournament. I feel our novice teams should receive mention and the coaches that take time to train our team of the future.

On Saturday at 12 o'clock Sid Cooper's Haliburton Novice team played an excellent game against Donald Rowbottom's Wilberforce Novice team. Visitors got the game 5 to 1. Our one goal scored by #14, Craig Maharrie. On Sunday afternoon Bob McNaul's Haliburton Novices played Donald Rowbottom's Wilberforce Novices which was a very close game 4 to 3 for the visitors. Home team goals scored by #10 Steven Hunter, #9 Mike Rutter and #15 Brian Hopwood. We were all proud of the good sportsmanship and team spirit shown by children aged 5 to 8 years.

Report from Queens Park

by MPP John Eakins

The Gains Programme - a type of Guaranteed Annual Income System - was introduced to benefit residents over 65 years of age and those who are blind or disabled. Benefits for senior citizens are administered by the Guaranteed Income and Tax Credit Branch of the Ministry of Revenue, whilst the blind and disabled are taken care of by the Ministry of Community and Social Services.

In order to qualify for assistance under the Gains Programme, people must have lived ten consecutive years in Canada, with the last full year in Ontario, immediately prior to applying for benefit (prior to April 6th, 1976, only five consecutive years of residence in Canada were necessary). Alternatively, one must have lived in Ontario for one full year immediately prior to applying for Gains and have been a resident in Canada for periods totalling twenty years since reaching age eighteen, or have lived in Ontario for periods which add up to twenty years since reaching age eighteen.

Items considered income are earnings from employment, net income for a profession or business, income from superannuation, retirement pensions, annuity payments and other sources, including pensions from any other countries, which are taxable in Canada. Bank, bond, mortgage and other interest are included, as are net dividends and net taxable capital gains, unemployment insurance benefits, net rents from property and income from family allowance. Old Age Security and Guaranteed Income Supplement payments are included, as well as payments from the Canada Pension Plan or Quebec Pension Plan.

If the total income from all sources is below the guaranteed minimum, which is reviewed every three months, a cheque is sent each month from the Ontario Government to qualified recipients to make up the difference. At the present time the monthly minimum for senior citizens is \$279.35 (as of the 1st January, 1977) for a single person - \$558.70 for a married couple who both qualify. The current minimum for the blind and disabled is \$250., although this is due to be changed soon, I understand.

People over 65 years of age who receive OAS/GIS payments from the federal government, need not apply for the Ontario Gains Programme. Their eligibility will be determined automatically. Those who do not meet the residency requirements for the Old Age Security Pension, but appear to satisfy Gains requirements, should request an application form for GAINS by writing, visiting or telephoning the Ministry of Revenue at Queen's Park in Toronto (M7A 2B3). You may call the Ministry free of charge. Dial "0" and ask the operator for ZENITH 8-2000.

If you are blind or disabled and are now receiving assistance under Ontario's Family Benefit Programme, you will receive your benefits cheque each month, automatically. You do not have to apply for it. If you do not receive Family Benefits, you may qualify for the special benefits programme.

Applications must be made through the District Office of the Ministry of Community and Social Services. Dependents of special benefits recipients will receive additional assistance, based on the size of the family and the ages of the children.

Those who qualify for the special benefits programme, Family Benefits or the federal Guaranteed Income Supplement are entitled to receive approved drugs on prescription, free of charge. A card should be mailed to you automatically, but if you qualify for this assistance and have not received the drug benefit card, please contact the Ministry - either Revenue or Community & Social Services. Ontario doctors, dentists and pharmacists have a list of drugs approved by the Ministry of Health which may be dispensed free of charge under the Drug Benefits programme.

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MINDEN

Friday, March 18, 1977
2 - 6 P.M.
Municipal Building (Upstairs)

HALIBURTON

Monday, March 21, 1977
2 - 6 P.M.
Municipal Building

WILBERFORCE

Tuesday, March 22, 1977
Board Room, Lloyd Watson Memorial Centre
2 - 6 P.M.

\$1,000 damage in accident on Scotch Line Road

A two vehicle accident on Scotch Line Road resulted in \$500 damage to a truck driven by Ronald G. McKelvey, 37, of Minden and \$500 damage to a car driven by Chris Coneybeare, 17, also of Minden.

The accident took place Saturday at 4 p.m. Coneybeare has been charged with failing to share half the roadway.

A school bus and pick up truck collision on the Old Donald Road last Thursday resulted in \$500 damage to the bus and \$400 damage to the truck.

Eight children were riding on the bus at the time but there were no injuries reported.

Driver of the school bus was Arthur Lee, 67, of Haliburton. William W. Hartin, 45, also of Haliburton was driving the truck. Hartin has been charged with failing to yield.



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HWY. 28 - from Jct. Hwy. 36 to Bancroft

HWY. 36 - from Bobcaygeon to South Jct. of Hwy. 36 and Hwy. 507 to Buckhorn

HWY. 41 - from Kaladar to Jct. Hwy. 512

HWY. 60 - from Cache Lake Road (In Algonquin Park) to Jct. Hwy. 512 (Killaloe)

HWY. 62 - from Tudor-Madoc Township boundary to Barry's Bay

HWY. 121 - All Hwy. 121

HWY. 127 - from Jct. Hwy. 60 to Jct. Hwy. 62 (Maynooth)

HWY. 132 - from Jct. Hwy. 41 to Renfrew Town Limits

HWY. 648 - from West Limit of Harcourt to the East Jct. of Hwy. 648 and Hwy. 121, and from the North Limit of Wilberforce to the West Jct. of Hwy. 648 and Hwy. 121.

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Can FBDB help you?

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Mercury contamination in local lake

Mercury contamination in lake trout has been found in fish from one lake in Haliburton County, releases from the Ministry of Natural Resources yesterday indicated.

Fish from Koshlong Lake, Glamorgan Township, taken by the Ministry of Natural Resources last November to be tested by the ministry of the Environment in a general provincial survey, show .99 parts of Mercury per million. The acceptable level of Mercury, as assessed by the Ministry of Health is .5 parts.

Steve Tool, Fish and Wildlife Supervisor of the Minden district of the Ministry of Natural Resources, explained that the average size of the 16 fish taken for testing was five pounds, indicating that they were fairly old fish, so the .99 reading was natural. He admitted that it was not the best possible sample, but results were still valid.

According to a Ministry of Natural Resources bulletin, "there are no known sources of Mercury on or near Koshlong Lake. Environment Ontario staff believe that high levels of Mercury originate from natural sources."

Mr. Tool said that the story on Mercury levels in trout was leaked to the Toronto Star last Friday before the ministry had heard about the results of the testing.

He said that evidence of the high Mercury levels "comes as quite a surprise to us". He noted that no serious testing has been done previous to this because "we didn't think there was any reason to do it".

One other lake was tested following a request to study small lakes, and readings were taken from 20 speckled trout fished from Dog Lake in Guilford township. There

were no fish over the maximum Mercury level in that lake Mr. Tool said.

The regional geologist for the Ministry of Natural Resources, Jim Trussler, had undertaken a study of the natural occurrence of Mercury in the rock of the area, which Mr. Tool says is probably the source of any Mercury. An industrial source would be easy to pinpoint, he noted.

The Ministry is advising that only occasional meals of fish from Koshlong Lake and others found to be over the acceptable limit should be eaten. Women who are

pregnant or who may become pregnant, nursing mothers and young children are advised not to eat the fish from these lakes.

Mr. Tool said that this was the first time that any results such as this had been recorded because this was the first time that such testing has been carried out.

He noted that Canada is

being very conservative in setting the acceptable Mercury level of fish at .5 parts per million. Some countries allow a higher level.

Muskoka trout had been found to have as much as 2 parts per million, he pointed out. Fish from Koshlong Lake have about twice the acceptable level of Mercury.

Monmouth News

by Pearl Foster

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Belated Birthday wishes to Carmen Coumbs who celebrated his birthday on March 2, 1977. You don't look a day older, Carmen.

Wilberforce Minor Hockey to hold a Monmouth Day on March 13, 1977, each of the coaches to invite a team of his choice to come to Wilberforce for a game of hockey on that day.

For the Scarborough Sabres, of the Agincourt Area, the tournament in Wilberforce was probably one of the more forgettable ones, except maybe for one of their boosters, Ron Donelle, of Kingston Road, Scarborough who won the fifty-fifty draw on hospitality night.

Birthday wishes go out this week to Arlene Mathews, Richard Reil, Tim Oram and Bob Manary, Jr.

Happy Anniversary to Dan and Arlene Mathews.

Don't forget the skate-a-thon on March 18, 1977 - if your not skating, sponsor someone.

Delia Thompson won the high ladies in the Wednesday night Euchre.

The high men's award went to Hubert Dunford, lone hands Dan Mathews, low score Ruth Bradley and travel prize Gilbert Rowley.



Jennifer Bowen, an exchange student from South Africa is presently staying with the Ken Langdon family. Pictured are (standing) Ken Langdon and his wife Marian; (seated) Carolyn Langdon, Jennifer and Elizabeth Langdon. Raymond Langdon was unavailable when the photo was taken.

Student tells about life in South Africa

Haliburton Rotarians last Thursday head a frank and intelligent account of South Africa from Jennifer Bowen, Rotary exchange student from Uitenhage, South Africa. The daughter of an Anglican priest, she comes from a family of 6, and has finished high school at home. She is now attending H.H.S.S. and staying with the Ken Langdon family in Haliburton.

Jennifer, or Jennie, as she prefers to be called, began her address to the Rotary group with the request that they ask her any questions

they thought of when it came to mind. She gave a slide show of some 35 shots showing the landscapes, animals, cities and people of the various parts of a country that holds many ways of life, but the questions that began after the slide presentation centred around the political situation in South Africa.

Haliburton Rotarians, along with many other Rotary groups in the area, have had recent exposure to South Africa through the group studies program that brought South African Rotarians here less than a year

ago. With regard to the apartheid policy of the South African government, which aims at separate development of black and white races, Haliburton Rotarians asked Jennie to comment on her reaction to government the political situation, and its effects on her own life in that country.

She answered honestly and in a manner that showed a grasp of the situation, as well as the belief that South Africans can solve the problems facing them if only the world will give them time.

Government policy at present is geared towards the establishment of nine separate homelands, more or less independent countries for the nine black tribes that make up the black population in South Africa. One homeland has recently been given independence, but, Jennie noted, only the South African government has officially recognized the country.

She sees in the government policy a lack of provision for the urban blacks who no longer have tribal ties or any wish to return to rural homelands. Urban blacks are asking for the same rights as white South Africans, and she noted that the government had made some reforms, allowing blacks now to own their own home, removing the restriction that allowed them only to rent and forced them to spend some time each year in homeland territory. She noted, too, that education was becoming compulsory for the blacks as well as for whites, which will further the government's policy of helping the blacks develop to the level where they will be able to rule themselves.

She admits that "they've waited too long to make any changes" and said "if we move too fast, there's going to be bloodshed, and if we move too slowly, too."

"There are a lot of injustices", she said, "but, it's not as bad as the rest of the world thinks. We get a lot of bad press here." She noted that the "government is sincere in what they are doing" in trying to "create a series of little countries all economically interdependent" but the success of the program depends in part on the rest of the world recognizing these countries.

She told the Rotarians the "history is being made every day" in South Africa, and I don't know what it will be like when I get back."

Jennie said that she appreciated very much the friendly reception that she has received, and that she found that people are honestly interested in listening to her and in finding out about the situation.

The Rotary aim of promoting understandings and friendly relations between nations was taken one step forward as Jennie spoke with Haliburton Rotarians.



Olga and Brian Black look over the certificate of the Paul Harris Fellowship awarded to the late Harold Black in honour of the time and service that he gave to Rotary. Harold Herlihey made the presentation at the Haliburton Rotary dinner last Thursday. The Paul Harris Fellowship comes from Rotary International through the Paul Harris Foundation, dedicated to improving relations among nations.

Harris Fellowship awarded

The late Harold Black was awarded a Rotary Paul Harris fellowship Thursday night, as Rotary International joined the Haliburton Rotary in recognizing Mr. Black's years of true service, commitment and fellowship with Rotarians of many areas in many ways.

The fellowship is open to any member of a Rotary group that has given a donation of \$1,000 to the Paul Harris Foundation or a Rotary organization dedicated to increasing the understanding and friendly relations between nations. Mr. Black was chosen by the Haliburton Rotary as a man most deserving of the honor.

The presentation of the award was made by Harold Herlihey to Mrs. Olga Black. Mr. Black's son, Brian, a Haliburton Rotarian was also present for the award presentation.

Mr. Black was the president of Haliburton Rotary from 1951-52 until 1959-60,

when he was elected to be governor of District 701 of Rotary. He began in this area as a teacher, and kept a store at Eagle Lake for many years before moving into Haliburton.

Mr. Herlihey spoke of the fellowship as a memorial to a man recognized for his contribution to Rotary and "in no small measure, for his contribution to the community where he lived," Mr. Herlihey said.

Mrs. Black thanked Rotarians for the fellowship on her late husband's behalf, saying that she felt the honor, since if Haliburton Rotarians didn't feel that Mr. Black had done his best to live up to the Rotary ideal of service above self, they would not have asked Rotary International to offer the fellowship to him.

Other members of Rotary also spoke of their regard for Mr. Black, and in the incidents that they recount-

ed, of travels and time spent in his company, their appreciation really showed. The fellowship is well deserved, coming from Mr. Black's fellowship with those around him.

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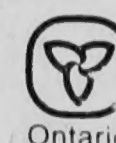
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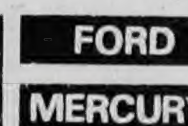
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Echo editorials

Time to get fit

In this year of 1977 Participation are telling us that now is the time to get fit and get into shape. On television they keep reminding us of another great moment in sports when someone tries a different kind of exercise that they have never tried before, like skiing, skating or walking around the block. How many times has your Doctor told you that if you want to feel better, that you had better get more exercise.

We can get in better shape by walking, jogging, skiing, skating or there are many other ways.

In Haliburton it seems that more people would go skating if more ice time was available. This at the present time seems to be a big problem. The only time set aside for public skating at the Haliburton Arena is on Sunday afternoons. This doesn't seem to be enough time and it is our opinion that one night a week should be set aside for public skating. Ice time can't be that hard to come by.

If Sunday afternoons are to be set aside for skating then nothing should upset this schedule, but this is not the case. Due to hockey games, hockey tournaments and other attractions in the past few weeks we can recall that four straight Sunday afternoons were taken up and public skating had to be cancelled. Attendance at the Sunday afternoon skating sessions isn't all that good or it isn't all that bad. The problem seems to be that now people who would like to go skating never seem to know whether there is skating or not.

We realize that the students from the Victoria Street School get an hour of skating every Friday afternoon but is this enough?

In the near future we hope that the Recreation Board will give this subject more consideration and let's hope that we can get more ice time for public skating and more people out skating for the good of their health. If you have any opinions on this matter write a letter to the editor. We would be glad to hear from you.

Part of scenery

Sir Sandford Fleming College should be a permanent part of the Haliburton scenery.

It seems that when the community college structure was set up it was designated to be just that, part of the community. Part of the community for Sir Sandford Fleming is Haliburton County.

Presently the Haliburton County Board of Education is attempting to set up a lease agreement with the college for the Lakeview Centre to give better ties with the area and the college.

There is also a need for the more academic type of training colleges can offer to people of the area. General interest courses are fine in there place but there is also a need for upgrading facilities for the people of the area.

There are many people, although beyond the years of a normal high school education, who need more training in the academic field, who without it will always have difficulties in finding work and being a productive part of the community.

The onus is on Sir Sandford Fleming College to provide these types of facilities to the people.

\$2 for director

Dysart et al can get a recreation director at a cost of just over \$2 per tax payer, according to Don Popple, speaking at the Rotary Club meeting a couple of weeks back.

We agree with Mr. Popple that the cost would not be as high as some people think. We also agree that a good recreation director would create more revenue by getting our recreation facilities used to the utmost of capacity.

Mr. Popple told the Rotary Club "People are demanding well rounded recreation programs these days, and in most places, are getting it. We do need a recreation director here not only for the sake of our children."

One member of our municipal council has committed himself to seeing that Dysart get a recreation director, perhaps members of the community in general should be doing the same thing and letting their feelings be known as to whether there is a need to create and fill such a position.

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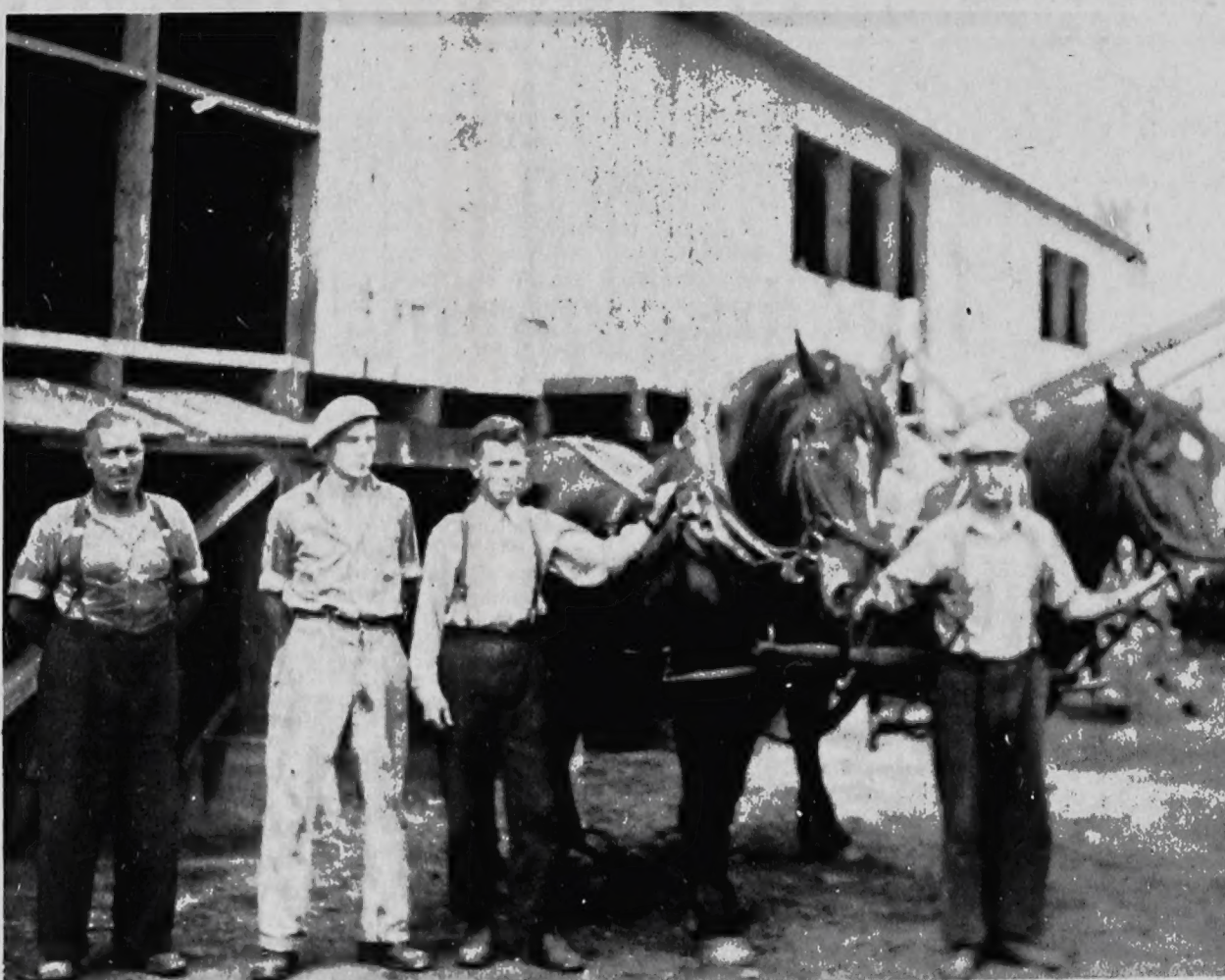
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This picture was taken in the early 1940's. Left to right - Vivian Scheffee - Ken Billings - Reg Sproates - Wes Baker.

For many years smaller logging camps and sawmills were operating throughout the county. Curry Timber Products was owned and operated by W.R. Curry and Ron Curry and located at Portage Lake on the Kenneway Road five miles east of Haliburton Village.

Our thanks to Ronald J. Curry of Haliburton for letting us use this photo.

Haliburton Highlights

BY CREIGHTON FEIR

At the time of writing this column we find that we are getting some mild weather with rain which is really welcomed by all those people who have had their wells go dry.

New suggestions are coming in every day for improvements for next years Haliburton Winter Carnival.

Mr. Berkeley Feir former publisher of the Haliburton County Echo who has been a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital in Peterborough for the past two weeks has now returned to Extencicare - Haliburton.

The March meeting of the Dysart Municipal council will be held on Friday, March 11th, 1977 at 9 a.m. instead of March 14, 1977, 9 a.m.

The price of haircuts have now gone up in price in the village of Haliburton.

The Haliburton Huskies opened their playoff series with Lakefield on Friday night at the Haliburton Arena and came out with a 5-3 victory. This is the best 4 out of 7 series. It looks as though the Huskies will really be going places

and we wish them the best of luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald J. Curry are at present away on a vacation in the sunny south.

The local municipal council should look into the possibility of seeking more parking area for the shoppers who come into Haliburton. On most days the main street is plugged with cars and the back street which is known as York Street always seems to be filled up with cars.

Extencicare-Haliburton held its' first birthday party on Tuesday, March 1, 1977. It was a big night with a big turnout and plenty of entertainment and refreshments.

From time to time the idea comes up of combining Haliburton and Minden Winter Carnivals into a week long event. Whether or not this comes to be a reality remains to be seen.

Spring must be just around the corner. We were informed this week that Mrs. Mabel Reynolds who lives with her son and daughter-in-law Mrs. Lyle Reynolds at Haliburton found some pussy willows in their back yard.

Editor's notebook

BY JIM BADGLEY



One Sunday, just recently I travelled to both the Dysart Community Centre and the Minden Arena looking for skaters.

The objective was to do some kind of different type of picture feature on the people of Haliburton County. What I found at both rinks though was a lack of skaters, although the time had been set aside for public skating.

At the Dysart Arena, only a handful of people were on hand. Listening to one persons reasons why so few people showed up, I realized that he seemed to have some valid ideas.

First of all, because of the hockey season, there is seldom any certainty as to when there will be skating on a Sunday afternoon. Secondly, when there is public skating, how are the people to find out.

I would suspect that a number of people have packed up the family and the blades, driven to the arena only to find out that there is a hockey game scheduled for that afternoon. After a couple of trips like that I can see why most people would take the garden hose out into the backyard and build their own rink.

I cannot argue with the fact that hockey is

what keeps an arena going. But I can argue with the fact that there is some free icetime at the community centre in which more people could take advantage of. It would be a simpler matter to set aside a few hours every week for public skating, hours that are compatible with the schedules of most families. When these hours are set aside, hockey schedules will have to be made around them, we must all remember that these arenas are built for all of the people in the community.

Municipal, county and board of education workers have pretty well all settled their contracts for the year and most cases I must say seem to be justified.

This area seems to be somewhat blessed in that department. In most areas of the province, the government workers seem to be bound and bent on getting as much as they can in regards to wages.

Sometimes it seems that when the money is coming from the taxpayers the pocket is bottomless. That certainly isn't the case in this area.

Letters to the editor

From Jim Webster,
Victoria-Haliburton
Progressive Conservative Candidate
March 4, 1977.

Our riding MPP has recently published a statement on national unity which I find fuzzy and insufficient. Most of it is taken from the words of a Toronto radio announcer. Mr. Eakins says he has some thoughts of his own which he hopes to express soon.

If ever there was a time for Mr. Eakins to express his own thoughts, it is now. If he believes Canadians are mumbling to themselves, especially those in this riding, he is ignoring reality.

People in Victoria-Haliburton definitely are not mumbling. Many are speaking strongly. They are saying Trudeau was elected in 1968 as the saviour of Confederation. Nine years later we face more talk of separation than ever before. We face a situation which may be one, and I hope that I am wrong, where the more English Canada gives and co-operates towards the goal of bilingualism and national unity, the more Quebec demands. At the same time, Quebec restricts the language and culture rights of the non-French in Quebec. Many people are feeling that it has become a one-way street. These people are not mumbling. They are speaking plainly and strongly in frustration after nine years of much give and little take.

Mr. Eakins has obviously been affected by the Trudeau-Liberal harangue on bilingualism - which ignores all other Canadian racial minorities such as Italian, German, Dutch, Greek, Ukrainian, and the many others in Canada. He admits that they (and we) are being forced to be bilingual in nine provinces while Quebec forces unilingualism on English and other minorities in Quebec. We should note that the unilingual forcing in Quebec was not started by Rene Levesque. It was started by a Liberal by the name of Bourassa - remember?

I intend to give you some thoughts now, not some day soon.

1. I stand for a modified bilingual policy encouraging Canadians through our educational system to speak French and English, but not forcing them to do either. This program needs to be supported by Federal funding.

2. I believe that Canadian unity will not be won by flagwaving and shouting from the "highest heights". A quiet dedication by all Canadians to a few good principles like hard work, business integrity, individual initiative and responsibility will do more for Canadian unity than all the syrupy radio comments one hears "while driving towards Haliburton."

3. The people of Quebec are going to be more influenced by their realizing that a flowering Quebecois cultural development will occur in Quebec only as a part of Canada. They should be able to realize that a separate political identity will be little solace to the wilting flower of a Quebecois cultural expression which is the immediate and direct result of the economic collapse following separation.

4. If the single strongest media influence in Quebec is the French CBC, which appears to be full of promoters of separatism, paid for by the rest of Canada, a thorough housecleaning is demanded. We can all wave our flags here and shout from the highest roof tops, but it is of little use if the French media ignore it.

5. Mutual self-respect of French and English (or any other race for that matter) can only be achieved if our respective nationalities are strong, productive and competitive. The "blending of talents" is something that hopefully will occur over the centuries. It cannot be done by forcing an unrealistic language policy on our people.

6. Unity cannot be won by English Canada alone talking about togetherness and waving the flag - that is dangerous self-delusion. Quebec must realize the benefits of Confederation and realize the fact that separation would result in it being swallowed by the American melting pot and the consequent extinction of their individual culture, or by it falling to the status of a third rate banana republic or dictatorship.

7. I call upon Mr. Eakins to denounce the apparently futile and fruitless appeasement policies of his party and stand up for us. The dialogue with Quebec must be done firmly and fairly. To give way now to a French Nationalism promoted by extremists will visit hardship not only on our children and our children's children in years to come, but also on those of Quebec.

Editor:

On Saturday, February 19th, Winter Carnival weekend, the Kinsmen Club of Haliburton ran the Snowmobile Drag Races on Head Lake. Someone decided that they needed the generator worse than our new club did. We have an idea as to who took it, so this is your one and only chance to return it without facing legal action.

We hope that it will be returned before Saturday, March 5th.

Please return it

Pat Kennedy
Chairman Snowmobile Race
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This

That

BY JENNIFER WOODS



Have you ever wondered what to do with left over bread? Why not make bread with it. Sounds crazy but it works! If you like coarse dark breads then you will like this recipe for Peasant's Black Bread. You simply toast 2 cups of bread crumbs in the oven until they are parched but not burned. Whenever you have end pieces or dried bread just blend them into fine crumbs and recycle them into another loaf. And of course the crumbs can be stored in the freezer in a plastic bag.

3 teaspoon Postum (instant cereal beverage a great substitute for coffee)
2 cups hot water
4 tablespoons molasses
2 cups toasted fine bread crumbs
3 packages or 3 1/2 tablespoons active yeast
3/4 cup of warm water (body temp.)
1 teaspoon sugar
1/4 teaspoon ground ginger
3 cups rye flour
1/4 cup melted butter
2 teaspoons salt
2 cups all purpose flour
1 tablespoon Postum mixed with 2 teaspoons water

In a large bowl, dissolve the 3 teaspoons Postum in the 2 cups hot water. Stir in the molasses and bread crumbs. Let it stand until the mixture is cooled to lukewarm and the crumbs are soaked and soft. Dissolve the yeast and stir in the ginger and sugar. Let it stand for 15 minutes to rise. Then add this mixture to the crumb mixture. Add the rye flour and then stir in the melted butter and salt. The mixture will seem dry at this point. Spread the all purpose flour on the bread board and turn the mixture onto the flour. Invert the mixing bowl over the dough and let it stand for 15 minutes. Knead until a smooth stiff dough forms. Clean the bowl out and grease lightly. Place the kneaded dough in the bowl, grease the top, cover and let it rise in a warm place until double in size. (about 1 1/2 hours).

Turn it out on a lightly floured board and knead lightly to remove air bubbles. Then shape into a loaf that is about 15 inches long. Place it on a well greased cookie sheet and cover and let rise for about 30 minutes. Just before baking brush the loaf with the mixture of Postum and water. Bake in a hot oven 400 F. for 40 to 50 minutes until the loaf is quite dry.

This bread is delicious. It should be allowed to stand for a day because it has quite a thick crust when it is freshly baked.

As we are talking about leftovers in this column I would like to tell you how to make an inexpensive cheese spread out of your end bits of cheese. Simply make a white sauce with 2 tablespoons melted butter over low heat with 2 tablespoons flour and add 1 cup of milk slowly. When you have your thick sauce add as much cheese as you like with various herbs to stimulate the flavour. Just let this sit on a very low heat until it is smooth. Then pour into a plastic container and cover and refrigerate.

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Dated at Haliburton this 21st day of February, 1977.

Wayne B. Wood
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COUNTY ECHO FAMILY

Maple Lake News

by Ada Gibbs

Mrs. Jack Yateman visited with her daughter in Toronto for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Sisson and Mr. Allan Sisson visited with Mr. Oscar Sisson on Sunday Feb. 20th. Mr. A. Sisson remained for a week visit with his brother, his daughter Ella, and other relatives. Everyone was pleased to see the great improvement in Allan's health condition and general appearance after his long serious illness. Unfortunately he still has a problem to be corrected, so on his return home on Tuesday of last week he returned to the hospital for a short time for treatment.

A short time ago St. Peter's quilting ladies drove to Minden to assist Mrs. Percy Drysdale with another Church quilt - one more quilt ready for our September shipment.

Mrs. Cole, whose home province is Newfoundland is visiting with Mrs. Winnifred Johnson and Grace Martin for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Finch, their son Kevin, and Miss Susan Redner motored to Markham to visit for the weekend. While there, the young folk hope to attend entertainment at The Little Theatre.

Minden news

All his friends send good wishes to Wilfred Ackersblade who has been a patient at Civic Hospital, Peterborough.

The Fund Raising Dance for the Fair Board has been cancelled, watch for a later date on this.

Mrs. Lorne Dawson is home again after a visit with the Jim Dawsons at Ottawa.

Weekend guest with their parents were Gerald Coulter of Toronto and Vern Graham of Ottawa.

Mrs. W. Walker and Mrs. Allan Taylor left on Saturday for a bus tour through some of the United States.

There was a goodly crowd of ladies present last Friday at World Day of Prayer at the Hyland Crest with speaker Mrs. D. Miller of Minden United Church.

The Boy Scout Auxiliary plan a rummage sale at the Parish Hall this Saturday from 10 with funds raised to go to their summer project.

At the Weekly Mini Card Party at the Parish Hall last Thursday afternoon, winners were, for euchre high and lone hands, Harry Cowan and Della Griffin, for bridge Florence Cooper and for cribbage Cora Hewitt and Joyce Hewitt.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. M. Sears included Muriel Ewing, Chris and Scott and a friend, all of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stephenson left on Saturday for Toronto, en route to Florida to spend a few weeks holidaying with Mrs. Stephenson's sister.

The John Barclay's report having had a pleasant week end in Kitchener, and Toronto. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. E. Davis who was having that well earned vacation in Richmond Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Redner left Saturday morning for Alban to attend a very special occasion - the birthday of their only grandchild, Stevie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Redner. Roads and weather conditions being satisfactory the grandparents hope to return to Maple Lake Sunday.

Several of the area churches celebrate the Women's World Day of Prayer together. This year the church chosen for the meeting place was The Gospel Chapel at

West Guilford. In spite of awful weather, and other handicaps, the service was very well attended. The leadership was ably taken care of by Mrs. Doris Cooper, who in her quiet way, expressed the thoughts of all present. We were favoured with a special treat a duet sung by Mrs. Sharon Upton and her niece, Miss Stamp, entitled Love Lifted Me, accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Sisson.

The speaker was Miss Marjorie Johnston of Halls Lake, who is really a specialist in that field of

work. The topic "Love" was that I'm sure all present were made to think, and think again as to whether we are showing love in our lives, and in our homes according to the true meaning of the word. The meeting closed with a short social time during which a delicious lunch was served. Our thanks to all who helped to make this such a worthwhile afternoon. Next year, I understand, St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Boskung has been chosen for the Women's World Day of Prayer.

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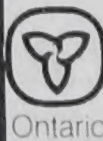
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Bancroft takes top spot in tourney

Bancroft scored two goals in the first three minutes of the final game of the Hodgson Memorial Bantam Tournament played at the Dysart Arena Saturday and never looked back downing Peterborough 7-2 to win the championship.

Paul Tomlin scored for Bancroft at 2:21 from Mark Farnham and Randy Broadworth ran the count to 2-0 with a goal from Bob Whitmore at the three minute mark.

Peterborough came back

one minute later on a goal by Dave Storey from Dean Gray at 5:56 but Bancroft picked up two more, Jeff Rupnow and Tomlin unassisted before the period ended.

Peterborough got the only goal of the middle period when Gray scored from Storey and Mark Bedlington.

Bancroft counted three times in the final period, Robby Sargent from Scott Hayton and Rupnow, Hayton unassisted and Rupnow from Sargent.

Local club gets to tourney finals

After suffering a 7-2 defeat in the first round of the Hodgson Memorial Bantam Hockey Tournament the Haliburton Bantams came back with a 7-2 win over a club from Oshawa to advance to the finals of the consolation division.

The team went down to defeat in the finals at the hands of Ajax 3-0 at the Dysart Arena.

In the consolation finals both Ajax and Haliburton got good goaltending by Dave Elstone of Haliburton and Warren Palmer of Ajax with Ajax able to shut-out Haliburton 3-0.

Tony Scheffee lead the way for Haliburton in the team's 7-2 win over Oshawa in the second game. Scheffee picked up three goals in the contest.

Haliburton scored three times in the first period, Scheffee, unassisted at 1:49, Roger Hicks unassisted at 5:34 and Brian Lloyd from Butch Manary at 7:27.

Oshawa got back in the contest with two goals in the first two minutes of the second period but Haliburton came back with a goal by Doug Tallman from Manary at 3:37 and Mike Rae from Ken Wyllie with just 53 seconds to play.

Scheffee scored both Haliburton goals in the final period with the assist going to Mark Prior on both plays. The first of the goals was scored at 3:51 and the final goal came at 7:58.

In Haliburton's opening game the club gave up four

goals in the first period to Markham and was never able to make a comeback.

Roger Hicks scored the first goal for Haliburton at 54 seconds of the second period from Len Hodgson and Wyllie scored unassisted at 5:09 of the middle frame.

Markham picked up two second period goals and added another goal in the final period.

Trophies for winners

In the Hodgson Memorial Tournament held at the Haliburton Arena Saturday for eight O.M.H.A. Bantam teams, the winners of the C.W. Hodgson Memorial Championship trophy were the Bancroft Bantams.

They played off in the final round with the Peterborough Bantams who won a plaque in recognition of being the most sportsmanlike team, on and off the ice, for the duration of the day.

The consolation Glen Hodgson Trophy was taken by Ajax, who met the Haliburton Bantams in the second last game of the tournament.

This weekend marked the fourth year of the Hodgson Memorial tournament.

The Haliburton Minor Hockey Association would like to thank the following merchants for their donations to our three tournaments this winter.

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Thank you to all the people who worked on the Atom and PeeWee Tournaments at the arena and at the High School including Mr. Ian McCallum, Mr. Alan Oakley and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Potter.

Thanks also to the helpers at the Bantam Tournament, Joan Stinson, Betty, Lisa and Laurie Salvatori, Dora Elstone, and the team mothers; Andrew Hodgson, Gary McKnight, Mervyn Elstone, George Nicholls and Grant Rae. Thanks to the Haliburton Kinsmen Club for their donation.

We really appreciate all the help and interest shown to Minor Hockey this season.

Barbara Hodgson - Secretary Treasurer
Haliburton Minor Hockey

COUNTY ECHO SPORTS

Huskies lose 2-1

Within 12 seconds of winning

The Haliburton Travelway Huskies came within 12 seconds of advancing to the Junior D League finals but now will have to travel to Lakefield Wednesday night for a seventh and final game in the best of seven semi final series.

Salvatori scores winner

Andy Salvatori, played his first game with the Haliburton Travelways Huskies, fired a goal at 10:25 of the final period to give Haliburton a 5-4 win and a 3-1 lead in their best of seven semi-final series with the Lakefield Kingdom Lumber Chiefs.

The game was played at the Dysart Community Centre, last Wednesday night.

Salvatori and another pick-up from the Haliburton Beaconbrook Midgets, Bernie Nicholls helped carve the win for Haliburton. Nicholls picked up one goal and two

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The two clubs played scoreless Sunday night at the Dysart Arena until the 7:14 mark of the final period when Dave Leveley scored from Dave Hartwick to give Haliburton a lead.

With only 12 seconds remaining in the period Lakefield won a faceoff in the Haliburton end and scored to send the game into overtime.

Lakefield picked up the winner midway through the 10 minute overtime period.

The Huskies started the game slow in the first period taking four penalties to two for Lakefield in the first 10 minutes. A couple of penalties to Lakefield later in the period though seemed to give Haliburton a lift and the club started to outskate and outshoot the visitors.

The first frame was marked with some great saves by both Randy Ellison in net for Haliburton and Bill Corner for Lakefield. Corner was chosen the number one goaltender in the league this season.

The second period was just about all the goaltenders. Ellison made some great stops while Corner

played his usual steady game between the pipes for Lakefield.

The two teams opened up the game in the final period when it began to look like the first goal would win the contest.

At the five minute mark of the period a Lakefield forward hit the post on a breakaway after Huskies' defenseman Tim Oram got trapped up ice.

Just two minutes later Tim Bain gave Haliburton fans a glimmer of hope when he rushed down the ice with the puck only to be stopped by Corner.

The play seemed to fire Haliburton up and the club was finally able to get the puck past Corner at the 7:14 mark of the period. Leveley took a good pass from Hartwick in front of the net and beat the Lakefield goaltender with a low shot into the corner. The Huskies had a three on two situation at the time.

Andy Salvatori, who had been used in a penalty killing situation most of the night, almost put the game away for Haliburton when he shot from right in front of

the net after taking a pass from Randy Barras. Corner appeared to be out of the play at the time but he slid across the goalmouth and took the shot on his mask.

Tim Bain picked up one of the rare rebounds that Corner allowed all night and beat the goaltender cleanly only to have the puck hit the post at 9:16 of the final period.

Salvatori was robbed again by Corner at the 11 minute mark when he fired a hard shot along the ice that the goalie kicked out.

It looked like Huskies defenseman Larry Stinson had saved the day when he dove in front of a pass when he was the only man back on a two on one situation with just five minutes to go in the game.

After that play Bernie Nicholls came back for Haliburton and beat Corner only to have his shot hit the crossbar.

Ellison was called on to make five good saves late in the game after Haliburton took a penalty with just four minutes left.

Bob Hunt sent the game into overtime when he

scored on a high shot at 19:48 of the period. Lakefield's Frank Young won the draw and got the puck back to Hunt who was ready at the blueline. The Lakefield goaltender was out of the net at the time.

Lakefield took the edge of the play away from Haliburton in the 10 minute overtime and it finally paid off in a goal at 5:17 when the Huskies left two Lakefield players unattended in front of the net. Randy Freeburn was credited with the marker with an assist going to Greg Tivy.

Referees John Firth and Ralph Vokey of Barrie called a total of 23 penalties in the contest with 12 going to Haliburton.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 284, Section 443 of the Municipal Act, that the Township Council of the Corporation of the Township of Stanhope proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, R.R. #1, Haliburton, Ontario on Wednesday, March 9, 1977 at 4 p.m., a by-law to close, stop up and convey the following:

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DATED AT STANHOPE this 11th day of February, 1977.

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Bancroft takes crown



Haliburton bantams



Ajax, consolation winners

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Haliburton girls took third spot with Linda Beachli skipping a Wilson family rink of Dorothy, Kim and Debbie. The girls report a great day of good competition, great sociability and fun.

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Peterborough wins in Minden tournament

The Peterborough Sportswomen took the O.M.H.A. Bantam tournament championship in Minden Saturday, winning the Yoke Electric Championship trophy after downing the Peterborough McDonald Bantams 4-1.

Winners of the consolation round and the Reg Welch Trophy were the Oshawa Bantams who took the victory from the Orillia team.

The tournament began at 8:00 a.m. with Minden meeting Orillia. That game was won by Minden, by a close 5-4 score, and Orillia was sent into the consolation round.

Sooners keep lead downing Flyers

The Sooners flew over the Flyers for 7 points and kept their lead with 21 points over the Floozies who split with the Jets 4-3 for 17 to the Jets 16 points. Flyers are falling back with 11, Fonzies 10 and Hall-e-Hawks 9 points.

Linda Morrison had another good day with 781 (308,262); Harry Henderson 727 (279, 253); Wes Stata 684 (283, 202); Ev Stata 635 (258); Ev Griffin 621 (217,

swing, with the top rinks in all Mens and Ladies Divisions competing for the several Annual Trophies, to be presented at the Annual Meeting - to be held April 16. Next Sunday, March 13 our Club sponsors the Div. 4 play-downs for the Governor Generals OCA Trophy. This is a double rink event, and so far Cannington, Lakefield, Peterborough, Lind-

The second game of the day saw the Peterborough Sportswomen take Barrie 9-1. Next, the Peterborough McDonald team beat Oshawa down by 10-0.

In the last game of the morning, Creemore came out on top of Warsaw 2-0.

Orillia and Barrie began the second round at noon, with Orillia going on to the consolation championships match after a 4-3 win.

Minden and Peterborough sportswomen met at 1:00 p.m. and Minden was put out by 6-3.

Warsaw and Oshawa played off at 3:00, with the tournament running a bit behind time. Oshawa went

say, Minden and Haliburton are entered. Total score for 2 rinks decided winner. We also have issued an invitation to Minden afternoon seniors to visit with us before the season ends. It seems no time since we were putting in the ice and drawing season's schedules - and here we are in playoffs - Curling makes winter rush by.

on to the consolation championship by taking Warsaw 5-2.

The Peterborough McDonald team won their spot in the championship game by downing Creemore 4-1.

Hornets down Angels

Harry's Hornets swept to a good lead Friday night by swarming over Audrey's Angels for 7 points to put them up to 24 - Dan's Dynamos fished out and let Ev's Avengers have 5 getting them up to second spot with 19. Ron's Rollers rolled over the Gassers for 7 leaving them tied with the Angels for 14 points. Dan's Dynamos have 10 and Wes is still in the cellar with 3 points.

Cliff Burke won the big shooter this week with 761 (279, 252); Marnie Robinson 755 (281, 261); Wes Stata 739 (285, 240); Albert Cox 707 (272, 254); Rick Harding 693 (253, 227); Ronnie Robinson 679 (263, 235); Ev Stata 678 (232, 227); Ron

Robinson Sr. 672 (277, 202); Dan Harding 670 (261, 222); Barb Fountain 655 (263, 204); Garth Henderson 615 (251).

Marlene Cook hit a new high with a 271; Fred Cox next with 244; Wendy

Kirkpatrick 226; Grace Downey 214; Dorothy Ann Robinson 208, 200; Lloyd Ackerblade 205; Howard Walker 204; Brenda Cook 203; Lynn Frankland 202, 200.

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Huskies

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assists in the contest.

Tom Curry, a late arrival to the Huskies' team this season, also helped with three assists.

Tim Oram put Haliburton on the scoresheet first when he fired a high shot from the blue line after a passing play from Ernie Bain and Tom Curry. The goal was scored at 7:11 of the period while Lakefield's Dan Galvin was in the penalty box serving a charging penalty.

Haliburton came close to making it 2-0 just one minute later when Dave Hartwick beat Lakefield's goaltender Bill Corner cleanly but the puck hit the post.

Lakefield's Frank Young evened the count at 13:33 of the period when Haliburton let him skate out of the corner to the front of the net and tuck the puck past Randy Ellison.

Bob Hunt picked up an assist on the play. Haliburton's Tim Bain was serving a two minute penalty for roughing at the time of the goal.

Lakefield took the lead at 15:04 when Gerry O'Grady took a pass out in front of the net and flipped the puck over Ellison. Paul Graham and Jim Rosborough assisted on the play.

Nicholls' beat Corner cleanly with a good shot from the slot after a passing play from Joe Roberts to even the score at 18:48 of the opening period.

Dave Hartwick gave Haliburton the lead at 4:43 of the second period when he stickhandled past two Lake-

field defenders and shot the puck high over the goalie. Randy Barras and Curry assisted on the play.

A powerplay marker by O'Grady evened the score at 7:12 of the period when he took a pass out in front of Ellison from Randy Freeburn. Haliburton's Roberts and Oram were serving penalties at the time. Lakefield had one man in the penalty box.

Lakefield took the lead just 30 seconds later when Rosborough deflected an easy shot from the point. Steve Hardill assisted on the play.

Roberts evened the score on a breakaway goal at 9:45 of the middle period after Nicholls and Oram worked the puck up the boards to him.

The two teams ended the second period deadlocked setting the stage for Salvatore's game winning goal. The marker was scored after Salvatore took a pass from Nicholls and fired the puck high into the top left hand corner of the net.

Haliburton outshot Lakefield 16-12 in the first period, were outshot 15-9 in the second period and came back to outshoot the visitors 13-4 in the final frame.

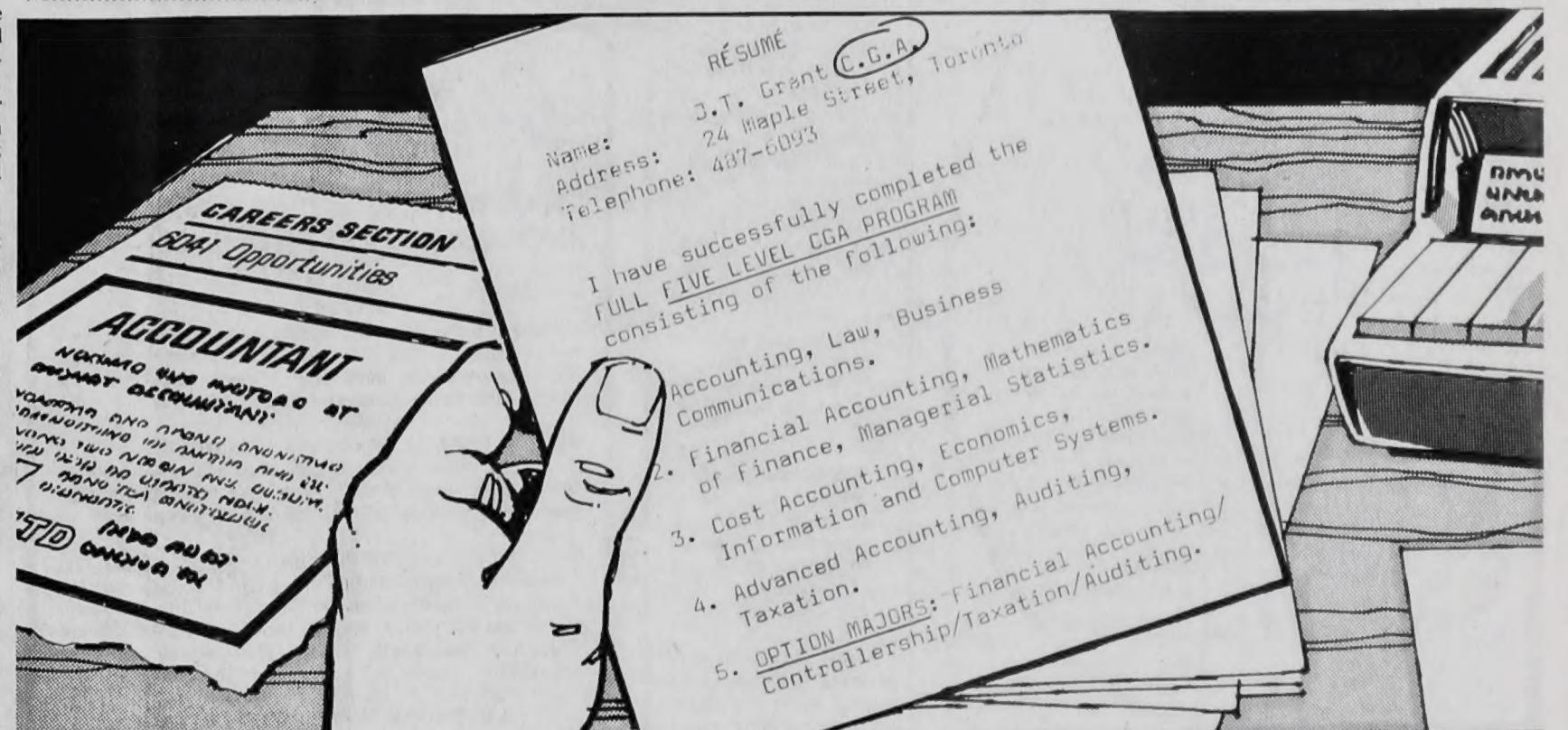
A total of 25 penalties were called in the contest with 13 going to Lakefield. Haliburton's Roberts and Lakefield's Steve King picked up the only major penalties called in the game at 10:01 of the third period when the two were involved in a fight.

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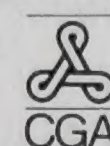
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Paul E. Alldred

Minden performs well

Minden played an exciting first game to start off the O.M.H.A. Bantam tourna-

Junior test day for club skaters

The second junior test day for the Haliburton Skating Club was held on February 15, 1977.

Passing the Elementary Badges were: Terri Lynn Barry, Kim Curry, Shannon Curry, Beth Johnston, Andrew Milne and Shantel Morrison.

Basic Badge: Sheryl Scully, Alison Sisson and Stephanie Wells.

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Dance I Badge: Kirby Bagg, Gina Brohm, Jodie McKnight, Paul Milne, Suzanne Vukic and Heidi Whitaker.

Novice II Jump: Margaret Milne.

Dance II: Shelly Hore.

Pearl Foster leads way in Combines

Pearl Foster was far in the lead of the Tuesday Night Combines Bowling on March 1, rolling a fine game of 308, which along with games of 195 and 202 went towards her top high triple of 705.

Second in the high triple standings was Danny Harding with 241, 239 and 195 for 675, followed by Bob Patton with 201, 227 and 244 for 672.

Harry Hobden bowled 240, 265 and 152 for 657, Neva Hobden, 249, 214 and 180 for 643 and Lil Gorveatt, 197, 204 and 227 for 628.

Gail Medcalfe bowled a triple of 609, with 207, 213 and 188. Art Beatty had 173, 209 and 220 for 602.

Jack Yateman bowled a high single of 253, George Bunn, 243, Verna Sawyer, 237, and Annie Jones, 231. Gertie Ripley had 227, Bill Cowan, 224, and Mabel Medcalfe 222. Bruce Medcalfe Jr. and Jim Foster both scored singles of 220, and David McKinlay had 214.

The Combines League is holding another Card Party, following the success of their recent party at West Guilford. To make sure this one is good, too, it will be in the same location - West Guilford Community Centre, March 24, at 8:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

ment played in Minden on Saturday, winning the match 5-4 over Orillia.

Orillia looked good at the beginning of the game, scoring the first two goals at 3:54 and 6:57 of the first period. Minden made a mark at 7:54 as Scott Arbuthnot took the puck into the Orillia end alone and fired it past the goalie's glove side.

Orillia didn't let up and managed to score again with just 24 seconds left in the first period, leaving the score 3-1.

In period two, Minden took the first goal at 8:58 after a long scoreless session. Arbuthnot again scored unassisted, taking a shot that flew behind the goalie on his glove side.

Orillia stayed ahead by putting in another goal at 4:22 of the third. Then Minden started their comeback adding three goals to their credit.

Tim Davies scored at 7:18, assisted by Ron Yake and at 7:56, seconds later, the two teamed up again for the tying goal. Yake fired the shot that came on an assist from Davies.

The winning goal of the game came with only 47 seconds left to play, as Arbuthnot found his mark again, assisted by Yake. Orillia pulled their goalie, but didn't make up the score.

Tim Davies was named the most valuable player of the game for Minden for his efforts in the third period.

The win sent Minden on to meet the Peterborough Sportown Bantams at 1:00 a.m. and they lost by a respectable 6-3.

The Peterborough team was kept to a 1-1 tie at the end of the first period.

Minden took a bad penalty in the second and Peterboro pulled ahead 4-1. In the third both teams scored two goals, leaving Minden 3,

Peterborough 6. Minden goal scorers were Shawn Chapman, Ron Yake and Tim Davies. Goalie Bailey Hamilton was named the most valuable player of the game for Minden.

The Sportown team went on to win the championship Yake Electric Trophy, presented by Helen and Watson Yake, after defeating Peterborough McDonald Bantams 4-1.

Seven vehicle collisions

Members of the Minden detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police investigated seven motor vehicle collisions and 47 general occurrences during the week of Feb. 28 to March 6.

Eight charges were laid under the motorized snow-vehicle act, five persons were charged with Liquor Licence Act violations and one person was charged with impaired driving.

In the release from the detachment it was noted that there were three reports of vehicles passing stopped school buses.

"This is a serious offence and exposes our children to unnecessary danger," the release said.

The OPP remind motorists that when a school bus is stopped on a road with the red alternating lights flashing all vehicles must stop in both directions. "This applies in any area regardless of the speed limit," the release stated. The rule also applies whether it be in town or out of town.

"Failure to do so is a great hazard to the children and if reported can result in a fine, four demerit points and a large increase in your vehicle insurance rates," the release stated.



Managed by Al Arbuthnot and coached by Dave Waite, the O.M.H.A. Jadek Sports Bantams made a

good showing in a comeback game played Saturday in the Minden O.M.H.A. Bantam tournament.

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share
Your life was devoted to
others
With your love, guidance
and prayer.
The years we had together
Will be sweet memories our
life through
With heartfelt pride, we
remember
Being blessed with a Mother
like you.
Lovingly remembered and
sadly missed by the family.

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In tears we saw you sinking,
We watched you fade away,
Our hearts were almost
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You fought so hard to stay.
But when we saw you
sleeping,
So peacefully free from pain,
We could not wish you back
To suffer that again.
Lovingly remembered by
daughter and family Norma,
Terry, Kevin and Ricky
Barnum.

In loving memory of Wesley
Walter Parish, who passed
away March 9th, 1975.

He really never left us
Nor did he travel far
Just entered into God's
beautiful garden
And left the gate ajar.
Our family chain is broken
And nothing seems the same
But as God calls us one by
one
The chain will link again.

Always remembered by
wife Hazel, Allan, Harry and
May, Tom and Eleanor and
families.

HEWITT

In loving memory of a
dear husband Grant W.,
who passed away March 12,
1975.

God's golden gates stood
open two years ago today,
With farewells left unspoken
You quietly slipped away.
You suffered much in silence,
Your spirit did not bend,
You faced your pain with
courage until the very end.
You fought so hard to stay
with us, but your fighting
was in vain.
God took you to his loving
home, and freed your from
all pain.

If you could have spoken
before you had died,
These are the words you
would have replied,
I loved you all to the very
last,
Weep not for me but
courage take,
And love one another for
my sake.

Sadly missed and always
remembered by wife, Shirley

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HEWITT - In loving memory of a dear father Grant, W., who passed away March 12, 1975.

Gone are the days we
used to share,
But in our hearts you are
always there.
The gates of memory will
never close,
We miss you more than
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With tender love and deep
regret,
We who love will never
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Remember Lot's Wife

Genesis 19, Luke 17:31-33
The words "Remember Lot's wife" is one of the shortest verses in the Bible, but they are of vital importance. Luke 17:32. These words are puzzling to many, why should we "remember Lot's wife?" Most people who are familiar with the account of Lot as related in Genesis nineteen have no trouble in remembering that his wife turned into a pillar of salt as they fled from the destruction of Sodom. But why should Jesus insert this fact in His foretelling about the "second coming" of the "Son of Man?" Luke 17:22-37.

The setting of the words as uttered by Jesus to "remember Lot's wife", disclose the fact that when the "Son of Man" returns to earth there will be a day of "judgment". The Old Testament narrative about Lot is extremely important in relation to that "day" and it is herein where the truth lies concerning his wife. Genesis 19.

It is here we learn that Lot was a believer in the Living God, and according to the New Testament mention of him, was "righteous and just" 11 Peter 2:7-8. He was a nephew of Abraham and when given a choice of land for homesteading, he chose the green valley and eventually moved to Sodom. Gen. 13:10-13, 19:1. It was the move of a backslider and Lot soon became more interested in material gain than the riches of glory. Now, Lot the world minded believer married a woman of Sodom and here is the key to this whole account. Lot's wife was a woman of Sodom, married to a backslider believer. This fact is very obvious as no mention is made of a woman in Lot's life until the record about the judgment. He evidently married after he moved to Sodom, and he married a "woman of Sodom."

Lot's wife, though married to a believer, was never really converted to "faith in God". She was from and of Sodom, a godless, wicked and doomed city. Gen. 18:20, 19:13. The doomed city of Sodom stands typically for this present world-system, which is likewise doomed to destruction. 1 John 2:15-17, John 12:31. It is into this doomed sphere that mankind is born by their natural birth, and unless born into the Kingdom of God by a "new birth", will go down under its judgment. It is for this reason that Jesus emphatically proclaimed that "ye

must be born again". John 3:3-5. Lot's wife is a fitting representation of religious profession with no real and true faith in the Saviour who died for their sin. Of such there are multitudes both "in" and "out" of Christian circles.

Lot's wife was married to a believer, with whom she also lived and whose testimony she no doubt heard, even though it was not as vigorous as it should have been. She knew about the true God of heaven and earth and about faith in Him. She no doubt confessed to believe in Jehovah, and quite possibly considered herself a believer with her husband. But with all this, she was but a woman of Sodom, whose faith was simply intellectual and theoretical, and who consequently had no real heart faith at all. Romans 10:18.

And here the solemn warning of Jesus to "Remember Lot's wife" strikes home to one and all in our day. To follow and be related to one who is a true Christian does not make that one a born again believer. It is here that many parents make a tragic mistake when their children receive the Lord Jesus Christ as their own personal Saviour before they can be a part of the Church which Jesus is bringing out of the world-system.

To merely profess to be a Christian, but not believe on Jesus Christ from the heart is eternal tragedy. Lot's wife even started to leave the

doomed city, but because her heart was really in Sodom she went down with it in judgment. How tragic! Almost, is not good enough, there must be reality in our faith in the Saviour who came to save sinners. Luke 19:10. To make an outward profession and let the doomed world dominate our living is to go down in judgment with it at the return of the Lord at His second coming. Luke 17:22-37.

There are great multitudes of people like Lot's wife all around us. They are not far from salvation, but never get saved. They may hear the Gospel and are troubled about their sins for a time, but never come to the Lord to be saved from them. To remain a child of the world means certain doom, unless the sinner sees his peril, and his need of salvation and turns to Jesus to receive it. The Scriptures are clear as to the way of salvation. Jesus is that way! He came into the world, and died upon the Cross for our sins, so that all who truly believe that He did this for them, shall be saved. Romans 4:25, 5:1, Acts 16:31.

While Lot's wife is representative of one who professes to be a believer but is not, the citizens of Sodom are typical of the natural man, only once born and thus not in Christ and thus void of spiritual life. All such are exposed to the "second death" and the abiding wrath of God. Ephesians 2:1-3, 4:18, Rev. 20:15, John 3:36. Why not let the Holy Spirit teach us anew the reality of Jesus' words when He said "Remember Lot's wife?" Luke 17:32.

The Word of God by Brian V. Sullivan

As a general introduction to the Life of Jesus Christ I want you to consider the following item, which is entitled: "The Incomparable Christ". The original copy that I have does not record an author's name, and therefore I cannot include it. I believe that what it says is something to think very seriously about.

"He came from the bosom of the Father to the bosom of a woman."

He became the Son of man that we might become the sons of God.

He put on humanity that we might put on divinity.

He came from heaven to earth that we might go from earth to heaven.

He left the region where the rivers never freeze, winds never blow, frost never bites, flowers never fade; where there are no undertakers, no doctors are needed, because no one is ever sick; where graveyards never haunt, death never comes, and where no funerals are ever conducted.

He was born contrary to the laws of nature, was reared in obscurity and lived in poverty; only once did he ever cross the boundaries of His own small country; he had no wealth or influence, training or education, and His parents knew nothing of the niceties of social traditions.

In infancy, He startled a king; in boyhood, puzzled the wise; in manhood, ruled the course of nature.

He healed the multitudes without medicine, and made no charge for His services. He never wrote a book, yet all the libraries of the world could not contain all the books that could be written about Him.

He never wrote a song, and yet He has provided the themes for more songs than all earthly writers combined.

He never founded a college, yet all the schools of earth have not had the students that sat at His feet.

He never practised medicine, yet has healed more broken hearts than the world has ever taken note of.

He never marshalled an army, never drafted a soldier, or fired a gun, yet no leader has ever had the volunteers, who, under his orders, made rebels stack arms and surrender to his command, never firing a shot.

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Great men have come and gone; He lives on.

Herod could not kill Him; Satan could not seduce Him; death could not destroy Him; and the grave could not hold Him.

He laid aside His purple robe for a peasant's gown.

He was rich but for our sakes became poor, that we might be rich.

How poor? Ask Mary! Ask the wise men!
He slept in another's manger; He rode another's ass; He was buried in another's tomb.
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SLUSHARAMA

The weatherman was anything but co-operative this year. At the usual time for the running of Whipper Watson's Snowarama for Timmy, early February, the lakes of Haliburton County were impossible to ride because of deep slush under a thick blanket of snow. The event was postponed for a month with every expectation that by March 6th conditions would improve. February's cold would eliminate the slush problem and allow the portage trails to become solidly packed and smoothly groomed.

Not so this year. The rains came late and were insufficient to completely water up the ice. A thin crust of ice on the surface of the slush provided no more than one week in which the grooming crews could get to the portages to prepare them for the ride. Then more rain two days prior to the event left the lakes awash once more and two inches of wet snow contributed to provide a thoroughly sloppy mess for the morning of the Sixth.

Nevertheless, Snowarama '77 must be considered a success. Something like \$16,000 was recorded in pledges by about 130 riders who entered in spite of the poor conditions. The trip was very well organized with the Rotary Clubs of Haliburton and Minden manning the check points and road crossings and with excellent C-B Radio communications from point to point.

The Haliburton County Snowmobile Association is to be congratulated for doing their best to get the dryland sections of the route packed and free of moguls. We cannot say the trail was totally smooth for the surface, softened by the mild weather, was not holding up well. It was, however, in much better condition than in previous years.

On behalf of the crippled children of Ontario, we express our sincere thanks to the riders who punished their machines and to the people whose generous pledges made it all worthwhile.

Private vs Public
There are in Haliburton County two commercially operated private snowmobile trail systems. These are the well-known Haliburton Forest and Wildlife Reserve and Woodland Ranch. Trails in these systems are open to the snowmobiler upon payment of a daily trail fee which fee is included with the cost of accommodations for weekend guests of each enterprise.

Mr. Pat Waddell, manager of Haliburton Forest, a charter member and the first President of the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association, declared the portage route from Redstone Lake to Kawagama Lake to be open to the public and, as well, the section of the Tri-Trail between Kennisis and Red Pine, and the Lypsy Lake trail. All other trails in the Reserve are private, and unauthorized use by the public is strictly prohibited.

Since the company has established a groomed trail between the base camp at Kennisis and Kawagama, which trail makes for better

them all.
With a public trail nearby, albeit a little rougher and hillier than the groomed trail of the Reserves, there is no possible excuse for trespassing in this area. In desperation, the management of Haliburton Forest has resorted to the laying of trespass charges.

Snowmobilers, be warned! Merely having the four dollars handy in case you're caught will not get you off the hook!

Similarly, Woodlands Ranch has permitted the Association to establish a trail across that property, which when completed, will connect the Peterson with

the Minden area. This trail must not be used to gain unauthorized access to the private trails of the Ranch.

Low doubles

Wanda Fletcher & Margot Fitzpatrick of Fenelon Lanes were the lucky winners of the Sunbeam Shoes High - Low Doubles Zone Round at Carnarvon Lanes last Sunday. They bowled 168 pins over their combined averages to each win a Slow Cooker and will now represent the 1000 Lakes Bowlers Association at the Provincial Championships at Galt on Sat., March 26th.

Other prizes were won by Leo Greenfield and Ilene

Hamm, Bancroft, 161 pins; Marie Reynolds and Eleanor Young, Carnarvon 132 pins; Judy Hammond and Linda Grant, Bancroft 125 pins; Don Hicks and Paul Warburton, 123 pins; Marjorie & Don Lee, Fenelon 120 pins and Bert Beard and Dorothy Falls, Fenelon 116 pins over average. Next big tournament will be the Thomas Adams National Classified Zone Round at Fenelon Lanes, March 20th with shifts at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

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